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TO: MORGAN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY
15 BELMONT ST.
WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS
TELEX 920422 MORGAN WOR B

1. YOUR MORGAN REPRESENTATIVE, JEFF HOMEWOOD, NOW IN SOFIA, REQUESTED THE EMBASSY ADVISE YOU OF THE FOLLOWING EQUIPMENT/TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS NOW UNDER DISCUSSION BETWEEN THE EMBASSY AND THENHULGARIAN MINISTRY OF METAL-LURGY AND MINERAL RESOURCES.

2. MINISTRY INTENDS PROVIDE SPECIFICATIONS LISTS IN ABOUT THREE MONTHS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ENGINEER-ING PROJECTS. ALSO, MINISTRY HAS REQUESTED LITERATURE ON FOLLOWING THREE ITEMS:

A. INFORMATION ON PURIFICATION OF GASSS FROM FERRO ALLOY FURNACES AT OPEN REGIME.

B. INFORMATION ON PURIFICATION OF GASES FROM SULPHUR OXIDES AT AGLOMERATING PRODUCTIONS.

C. INFORMATION ON PURIFICATION OF WASTE GASES FROM
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CONVERTERS AND ELECTRO/FURNACES FOR STEEL PRODUCTION.

3. BULGARIANS HAVE DECIDED TO BUILD A NEW METALLURGICAL COMPLEX STARTING WITH ROLLING MILL OF 800,000 TONS ANNUAL CAPACITY FOR COMPLETION IN 1983 AS FIRST STAGE. ROLLING MILL OF TYPE 300 FOR SMALL SIZED PROFILES (16-60 MM) FOR END USE IN MACHINEBUILDING. MORE DETAILS TO BE OBTAINED

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BY EMBASSY.

4. BULGARIANS ALSO PLAN MODERNIZATION AND EXPANSION OF PRODUCTION IN TWO PRESENT METALLURGICAL COMPLEXES. EMBASSY HAS YET TO RECEIVE EQUIPMENT/TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS ON THESE COMPLEXES.

5. SUGGEST MORGAN REP CONTACT PAUL VERZARIU OF BUREAU OF EAST-WEST TRADE IN DEPT OF COMMERCE IN WASHINGTON FOR DETAILS AND CONTINUED UP-DATING ON BULGARIAN EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS.

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